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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicants are enclosing an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) to submit papers to the PTO at the time of filing this continuation that pertain to parent PCT Application PCT/EP99/08375. This includes a copy of PCT Publication WO 00/26626 in French, which corresponds to PCT/EP99/08375, an English translation of the PCT Publication '626, an English language International Search Report for the PCT application. A copy of the Preliminary Examination Report with English language translation of the changes made to the parent PCT application during the Preliminary Examination stage and a PCT Form 308 confirming receipt by the U.S. PTO of the parent PCT application (which forms the basis of the present application disclosure).

The relevance of DE '072 and DE '531 is set forth on pages 1-3 of the present application. In addition, the enclosed U.S. Patent No. 5,948,990 is listed as a family member of the DE '537 in the accompanying International Search Report.

It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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